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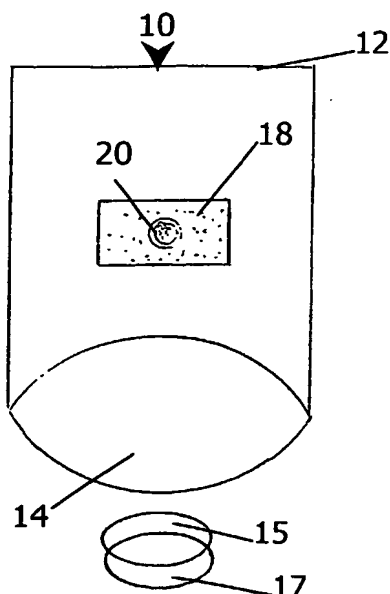
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(57) **Abstract:** An escape mask that enables one to breathe filtered air compris-
ing, A. a foldable pocket size hood to cover the entire head, comprising: 1. a bag
made of transparent plastic film material impermeable to gases, 2. a multi-layered
filter assembly containing at least one filter layer containing an antiseptic effective
against microorganisms and at least one filter layer containing activated charcoal,
said filter assembly being adhered to the bag over an aperture in the bag in the
area where the mouth and nose would be for someone wearing the mask, 3. an
exhalation valve embedded in the filter assembly, and B. separate sealing means,
not connected to the bag, to seal the bag around the neck, enabling adjusting the
bag over the head to reduce the free space inside the hood and to adjust the exha-
lation valve against the lips.